SHALL NOT PASS' SLOGAN STANDS

From the French front which I re-I hear stories of a three-line defense upon the boche side that makes the Hindenburg line look like a feather in a mowstorm. These lines are to cover any possible Allied combination, and are classified respectively as "ordinary combat field," "important combat field," important combat field," important combat field, and being local and the application general being local and the application general being local and the application general being to zones. Allied aviators have photographed and noted great activity within eneuly lines for a distance of sixty kilometers back; with the massing and moving of quantities of any possible from the rest of the article by adash.

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The old gray mare.
We have the artillery.
We have the infantry.
We have the cavalry.
We have the flying men.
So God help Kalser Hill.

for as available records permit, it mown that the boche has accessible use on the western front 220 alons, representing a fighting force of 1,575,000 men, and that every other branch of the present available German pranch of the present available German ferce would add about the same number of men, inferior in soldierly quality for divers reasons, or, through type of service and years, without any fighting quality at all. My figures of \$15,000 first-rank fighting men are based in part by bothe losses during the last five months, and the fact that in late September, 1917, the Austro-Germanic armies had massed upon the Russian, French and Belgian fronts 290 divisions, rentered front, Probably eighty divisions, rentered ing approximately thirty army corps of present numerical formation, are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that are deemed quite sufficient to cope with the present Russian condition, and that any and on liquer. These On account of the traitorous action of the member from the Twenty-fifth ward.

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Councils gain become Council of the traitorous action of the twenty.

It think we should take action at once.

The twenty-fifth ward and sheric

Harry Ransley, chairman of the committee. Cheaden t garjans which do not enter in my calculation. Probably eighty divisions, representing approximately thirty army minded the members that another meeting will soon be called to select a State ing will soon be called to select a State ing will soon be called to select a State the present Russian condition, and that the ward leaders "select the strongest and best candidates regardless of their stand on liquor,"

So far at I am concerned," said the paying teller in the City Treasurer's sumption is correct, then 220 divisions en the big front where, as I have often written, the war is to be lost and won, he a fair estimate of the bothe total dy for offensive or other work that

I must not detail what I know of Alled readiness, save that it is some readiness and very much on the job, saturated with a great confidence and the spirit of Verdun, whose second anniversary principal candidates are out for prohibition has eliminated the prohibition amendment as an issue. The fight now before the Law continued.

The Republican voters are coming occupied the job formerly held by mand two months ago was dismissed as droves, he continued. The fact the a writ server in the sheriff's office, a will server in the sheriff's office. The two hills now before the Law committee, if favorably reported and acted upon, would have provided for an immediate election to fill the places now I must not detail what I know of Al- by him to the end.

for now, as ever, Verdun stands outm, the connecting link between he Lorraine and Champagne fronts. Through the present variety of its natral and military defenses, Verdun can to February, 1918. Metz is but and arrange to start out for signatures It to February, 1918. Metz is but and arrange to start out for signatures (Gleason was chosen president and the to the petitions.

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Although not holding the balance of power, Mr. Seger is strong enough to cause trouble for any faction which he foiled every Germanic intent and t, the enemy never even crossing Meuse save at St. Mihiel. In all I read or heard or seen of Verdun.

The agreement re-establishes counhave read or heard or seen of Verdun. there is no statement, as far as I know, of what Verdun meant and means to.

The most important arteries that place a parts in direct communication with strasburg follow the Marne to Vitry-le-francois, the Ornain to Ligny-en-Barreis, the Meuse from Lerouville to Pagny, the Moselle from Toul to Frouard, and the Meurthe from Nancy to Lune-ville. The course of these rivers is doubled by the Rhine-Marne Canal, forming, from Vitry-le-Francois, a line that communicates to the very heart of France, and constituting at the same time a powerful line of defense against an invader from the north. This line before the battle of the Marne held ensay troops from Meaux to Revigney.

The Meuse and the Moselle approach The Meuse and the Moselle approach to an almost touching point, and then strate abruptly, the space between them widening to about one hundred and the strate with the space between them to the space between them to the space and Mesisres. South of this line, the country involved forms an elongated triangle, the apex resting between two deep vallays of the two rivers. To the west, the Aire and the Aisne valleys form two parallel conditions, between which rises parallel conditions, between which rises parallel conditions, between which rises the Argonne forest upon an elevation higher than the surrounding country.

Historic Soll of France

The land-lay about the Meuse hills de-mends suddenly on the right bank of the river, reappearing on the left toward the north and east where Chense, Signey l'Abbeye, Hirson, and other points were ecclipied by the French after the battle of Charleville to retard the advance of invading armies, as witnessed by combats of the Fighth army at Signey l'Abbeye, the Fourth at Fosse, between Chesne and Steuey, and the Third in the env-rous of Dun. The crossing of the Ar-sone forest, it will be remembered, be-same an enemy difficulty through the becessity of covering against fank at-tack constantly threatened by the Third constantly threatened by the Third between Verdun and Revigney. on the opposite bank of the Meuse, 170n, Liouville Fort, and the defenses Toul on the Moselle resisted every stacle. The fort at Camp des Rosains, isolated upon a height at the et of which spread out the entire aint Miniel district, fell in the fair ty days of Verdun attack, but the splam of the French about Toul remptly re-established the situation.

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Mr. Kane offered in evidence pamples the band with the damerican Army is France with the American Army is France

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From the French front which I reduced by Mr. Kane. It is a clipping of a cable dispatch bearing on the negotiations between the United States

On the Allied side, at its ready side of the Allies can well sing that we of the Allies can well sing to the tune of "The Old Gray Mare."

The old gray mare.

The other charge is the changing of "bread on Saturdays.

The trial wa lines" to "bread riots" in a speech on The trial w

cilmanic positions as they were decide-

powerful glasses and with the aid of a microscope. Later he compared the writing in the "copy" selzed with the original handwriting of the defendants.

Exhibits Identified

The charges against Werner and Dar-low, are that between April 6 and Sep-tember 10, 1917, they "with intent pub-lished from time to time articles in which they gave aid and comfort to the Im-perial German Government, and its sub-fects while they were enemies of the

a former employe of the Philadelphia dono le posizioni lasciando nella mani Tageblatt and a witness against the defendants, was still a mystery to them Szepanscky usually took the place of Werner when the latter took a day off Szepanscky usually took a day off the latter took a

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Dat 20 at 31 marzo ii governo italiano ha chiamato tutti i cittadini di ambo i sessi, e compresi tra l'eta' di 15 e 50 spent by hotels is expended in Phila-anni, all'arrolamento volontario per deliphia," he said. "Little of it goes

Agricole, metaliurfiche, tessili, chi-Gli Italiani Catturano Parec- di selleria e vestimenta militari.

L'Italia e' la terza nazione tra le belligeranti che ha adottato detto si-stema di servizio. La Germania l'adotto'

nel 1916 e l'inghilterra nell'anno se-guente. La Francia ora attende che la Camera del Deputati approvi un simile progetto di legge. L'arrolamento volentario per il lavoro fu preparato da un Comiliato Centrale sotto la presidenza dell'On. Ciuffolli, Mi-nistro per l'Industrie.

Un dispaccio da Parigi annunzia che un accordo e' stato stipulato tra la Francia e la Germania, e che avra' immediata escuzione, per lo seambio del prigionieri che abbiano superata l'eta' del 48 anni, Tutti i privati o coloro che non sono ufficiali, che fanno parte dei prigionieri di eta' superiore a quella accennata, saranno rimpatriati. Gli uf-

ficali saranno internati in Svizzera. Telegrammi da Londra e da Parigi andeschi hanno cominciato una grande offensiva sopra una fronte superiore alle iniziale dell'offensiva i tedeschi son

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in larga quantita' catturate dagli itali- tion on the part of the city to strangle The trial was adjourned until Monday ani, i quali ternarone nelle lore lines the hotels. The city should take into con il loro bettino e dopo aver subito consideration that without hotels there could or would be virtually no growth

ainbare le industrie. Parte e tutto il lavoro che sara' eseguite dai volontari dovra' essere fatto senza paga. L'aiuto dovra' essere date alle reguenti indusdovra' essere date alle reguenti indusrepresentation de la constantia de la constan perity to a city."

The hotels will be greatly affected—how much so no one gan at present tell. If I had a chance to build my hotel again I'm frank in saying I wouldn't do it. Why, Philadelphia will be a lay town after this, and wants to wants to be a lay town after this, and

Se l'arrolamento volontario fallira; il day town after this, end everybody who governo italiano vi provvedera con l'arrolamento forzato. of a thousand other points. jot of home money to help oth

Even so, the "jazz" band artist and the cabaret waiter are not waiting until developments. dead, as far as they are concerned an from a sinking ship. S. Busonl, manager of an employment agency that furnishes orchestras to ho-tels, said today that the state of the musicians would be pitiful unless something could be done to relieve the

be able to find work so soon that they will not have a hard time before the first pay day comes. All have families Mr. Busoni said.

But the liquor interests are jubilant sut the liquor interests are jubilant over the ruling of the court. Neil Bonner, head of the Retail Liquor Dealers' Association, said today that it would greatly help the liquor interests and that it would prove a hig impetus. "It will undoubtedly help the liquor men," Mr. Bointer said, "and will prove a valuable asset in the future. The

Washington today to report th sidered the National Nonpart loyal and satrlotic. A. Quesident, and several other Harrisburg, Pa., March 22.—The Serb Federation Sloboda, meeting at McKees-port, telegraphed Governor Brumbaugh a meesage of "loyalty to democracy."



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to the State ticket except for the Lieu-tenant Governor. We have spoken here for Congressman Scott and we will stand ment Another who loses under the agree ment is Thomas Keile, a Ninth Ward Penrose worker. For about a month he occupied the job formerly held by Beatty

becomes a straight-out fight of the Re-publicans against the Democrats. We want to present a solld front against We held by the two Feltons.

The agreement as to jobs does not include any reference to legislative mat-

I and military defenses, Verdun can considered the most important forts west of Metz, where the Germans e unceasingly increased their delive and offensive resources from 1 to February, 1918. Met let with the conclusion of the meeting the momination papers in blank for State Senators. Representatives and Considered the momination papers in blank for State In bringing about the agreement, Mr. Seger insisted that a cutthroat war, gressmen were distributed. The complete and offensive resources from the ward committees to meet the segment would do not be directly and the segment would be segment. At the conclusion of the meeting the ters, nor does it necessarily presage any

opposes. His desire for peace is said to be responsible alone for the settlement of

of what Verdun meant and means to, the morale of the Allies, nor what part ber glory and heroism play, consciously or otherwise, upon that morale. A count resume might therefore not be without interest.

Climanic positions as they were decided upon prior to the reorganization of Council of the year, Two men dismissed by Dr. E. B. Lancaster, Pa., March 22.—Rock deposits which are being taken by the Government from a great quarry near place of the property of

councilmanic political warfare so far as jobs are concerned.

Doctor Gleason will be abandoned and two bills now before the Law Committee and directed against Wiliam H. Felton, chief cierk, and his son, W. W. Felton, assistant clerk, will be allowed to die. Plans of the Penrose leaders are said to have included an effort to displace Chairman Joseph P. Gaffney, of Councils' Finance Committee, and to alter the rep-

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